PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF SOUTH CAROLINA

DOCKETING DEPARTMENT

NOTICE OF FILING

DOCKET NO. 2005-244-C

MCI, Incorporated on behalf of its subsidiary MCI WorldCom Communications, Incorporated (collectively with MCI, Incorporated, "MCI"), has notified the Public Service Commission of South Carolina ("Commission") of the transfer to vCustomer Corporation ("vCustomer") of certain assets of MCI related to its directory assistance and operator services business. The transfer of assets will include call centers and certain equipment and information technology used for the provision of directory assistance and operator services. No assets located in South Carolina are being transferred as part of this transaction and no customers will be impacted. MCI will continue to provide interstate, intrastate and local telecommunications services. MCI is not selling its directory assistance and operator services databases to vCustomer.

A copy of the Application is on file in the offices of the Commission, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina 29210, the Commission's web site at www.psc.sc.gov, and is available from Darra W. Cothran, Esquire, Woodward, Cothran and Herndon, 1200 Main Street, Suite 600, Columbia, South Carolina 29201.

A public hearing, if scheduled, will be held in Columbia, South Carolina in the offices of the Commission at the above address, for the purpose of receiving testimony and other evidence from all interested parties regarding this Application. The time and date of this hearing will be furnished to all interested parties at a later date.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record with the right of cross-examination should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure on or before **September 26**, **2005** and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please include an email address for receipt of future Commission correspondence in the Petition to Intervene. *Please refer to Docket No. 2005-244-C*.

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at the hearing, if scheduled, should notify the Docketing Department in writing at the address below, the Office of Regulatory Staff at Post Office Box 11263, Columbia, South Carolina 29211, and Darra W. Cothran, Esquire, at the above address, on or before **September 26, 2005** and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. *Please refer to Docket No.* 2005-244-C.

Any person who wishes to be notified of the hearing, but does not wish to present testimony or be a party of record, may do so by notifying the Docketing Department in writing at the address below on or before **September 26, 2005**. *Please refer to Docket No.* **2005-244-**C.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: Any person who wishes to have his or her comments considered as part of the official record of this proceeding <u>MUST</u> present such comments, in person, to the Commission during the hearing.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100.

Public Service Commission of South Carolina Attn: Docketing Department Post Office Drawer 11649 Columbia, South Carolina 29211